# U.S Environmental Protection Agency Washington, D.C.

## **ADMINISTRATOR SCOTT PRUITT**

## Federalist Society DC Luncheon

DATE: Friday, March 31, 2017

EVENT TIME: - 12:00PM - 1:30PM

LOCATION: Tony Cheng's Mongolian Restaurant - 619 H Street, 3rd Floor, Washington DC 20001

SPEAKING TIME: 12:45 - 1:15

ATTENDEES: 100 - 120 Fed Soc attorneys

Background: This is their monthly meeting.

11:45AM EST	Advance arrives at Tony Cheng's Millan and Brian Boats
12:20PM EST	Depart WJC for Tony Cheng's 1.2 miles, 10 minutes
12:30PM EST	Arrive Tony Cheng's  Will use front entrance and take stairs on right to 3 <sup>rd</sup> floor
12:30PM EST - 12:45PM EST	Administrator seated at head table You will be seated with Leonard Leo
12:45PM EST	Administrator introduced by Doug Cox President of DC Chapter and is partner at Gibson Dunn
12:45PM – 1:00PM EST	Remarks (1986) (1994) (1996) (
1:00PM EST — 1:10PM EST	Q&A
1:15PM EST	Depart for WJC 1.2 miles, 10 minutes

#### TOPIC/TALKING POINTS/ATTENDEES:

Have requested to hear about the Presidents priorities in the environmental space

### NEED TO KNOW PARTICIPANTS:

Doug Cox – President Leonard Leo

#### PRESS:

Closed to press

**Doug Cox**President, DC Chapter Federalist Society
Partner, Gibson Dunn Crutchner



Douglas R. Cox is a partner in the Washington, D.C. office of Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher. He practices in the areas of constitutional and securities litigation, appellate law, and governmental matters.

Mr. Cox has represented numerous clients in litigation before federal and state trial and appellate courts. He played a principal role in the firm's successful representation of the prevailing candidate before the Supreme Court of the United States in Bush v. Palm Beach County Canvassing Board and Bush v. Gore, stemming from the 2000 presidential election, and in other cases before the Supreme Court involving equal protection, voting rights and election law, the scope of the jury trial right under the Seventh Amendment, and other constitutional and statutory issues.

Mr. Cox frequently represents accounting firms in a variety of matters, including matters involving the SEC and PCAOB. He also has substantial experience representing clients before congressional investigating committees.

Mr. Cox previously served for five years during the Reagan and Bush Administrations in the Justice Department's Office of Legal Counsel, becoming Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General during the Bush Administration. In that Office, he provided legal advice to Executive Branch departments; resolved legal disputes on behalf of the Attorney General between Executive Branch departments; prepared formal opinions of the Attorney General; drafted and issued opinions on legal issues of importance to the Executive Branch; and advised Congress as to the constitutionality of pending legislation.

In 2005, Chief Justice Rehnquist appointed Mr. Cox to serve as a member of the Judicial Conference Standing Committee on Rules of Practice and Procedure. In 2008 he was reappointed by Chief Justice Roberts, and he completed his service in 2011.